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# TO THE COURT, DEFENDANT RIOT GAMES, INC., AND ITS **COUNSEL OF RECORD:**

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### **INTRODUCTION**

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Plaintiff Marc Wolstenholme respectfully submits this Notice of Concern regarding the sudden and unexplained departure of Defendant Riot Games, Inc.'s legal counsel Joshua Geller and Aaron Moss of Greenberg Glusker LLP. Plaintiff further demands a litigation hold be placed on all communications, emails, and documents involving these attorneys for potential review.

#### FACTUAL BACKGROUND

On March 12, 2025, Riot Games' counsel, Joshua Geller and Aaron Moss, actively engaged in case-related communications and discussions concerning the court-ordered settlement conference and related proceedings.

On March 14, 2025, Plaintiff raised concerns about Riot's conduct, including alleged procedural manipulation and misrepresentation to the Court regarding settlement discussions.

PLAINTIFF MARC WOLSTENHOLME'S NOTICE OF CONCERN REGARDING SUDDEN DEPARTURE OF RIOT GAMES' COUNSEL AND REQUEST FOR LITIGATION HOLD

The Plaintiff File his concerns today- 17th March, 2025- PLAINTIFF MARC WOLSTENHOLME'S NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH PREREQUISITE REQUIREMENTS FOR SETTLEMENT DISCUSSIONS AND NOTICE OF RIOT GAMES' LEGAL TEAM'S DELIBERATE ATTEMPTS TO MANIPULATE COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Shortly thereafter (17th March, 2025), Plaintiff received an automatic reply stating that both Joshua Geller and Aaron Moss are no longer with the firm, and all inquiries should be directed to Liz Moriarty at Greenberg Glusker LLP.

The timing of their sudden departure immediately following the disputed court filings and Riot's representations to the Court raises concerns regarding possible misconduct, ethical violations, or other irregularities related to their handling of this case.

# REQUEST FOR CONFIRMATION OF NO MISCONDUCT

Given the unusual circumstances of two primary defense attorneys leaving the firm simultaneously, as well as the alleged resignation of Christian Linke from Riot Games and the closing of Riot Forge, Plaintiff respectfully requests that the Court confirm the following:

That there has been no misconduct, misrepresentation, or improper conduct related to the withdrawal of Joshua Geller and Aaron Moss from this case.

Whether their departure was related to any ethical concerns, conflicts of interest, or professional disciplinary actions involving this litigation.

PLAINTIFF MARC WOLSTENHOLME'S NOTICE OF CONCERN REGARDING SUDDEN DEPARTURE OF RIOT GAMES' COUNSEL AND REQUEST FOR LITIGATION HOLD

That Riot Games immediately discloses whether it has engaged new counsel or if Greenberg Glusker remains as lead counsel in this matter.

#### LITIGATION HOLD REQUEST

Plaintiff formally demands a litigation hold be placed on all communications, emails, documents, and internal correspondence related to:

Joshua Geller and Aaron Moss's involvement in this case.

Any discussions between Riot Games, Greenberg Glusker LLP, and third parties regarding their departure.

Any potential instructions, recommendations, or communications regarding misrepresentation to the Court, procedural delays, or settlement conference manipulations.

Any and all privileged or non-privileged materials containing relevant information concerning the conduct of these attorneys in this litigation.

Plaintiff requests that the Court order Defendant Riot Games, Inc. and Greenberg Glusker LLP to preserve and disclose all such materials for potential review. Any failure to preserve these documents may be deemed spoliation of evidence and subject to sanctions.

PLAINTIFF MARC WOLSTENHOLME'S NOTICE OF CONCERN REGARDING SUDDEN DEPARTURE OF RIOT GAMES' COUNSEL AND REQUEST FOR LITIGATION HOLD

## **CONCLUSION**

For the reasons stated above, Plaintiff respectfully requests that the Court:

Acknowledge this Notice of Concern regarding the sudden removal of Riot Games' attorneys.

Confirm whether their departure is linked to misconduct or ethical violations in this case.

Issue a litigation hold order requiring preservation of all relevant communications and documents regarding their involvement in this case.

Compel Riot Games to disclose whether new legal counsel has been retained or whether Greenberg Glusker LLP remains responsible for the case.

Plaintiff reserves the right to seek further relief, including sanctions, if evidence of misconduct or improper legal tactics is uncovered.

PLAINTIFF MARC WOLSTENHOLME'S NOTICE OF CONCERN REGARDING SUDDEN DEPARTURE OF RIOT GAMES' COUNSEL AND REQUEST FOR LITIGATION HOLD

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on March 17, 2025, in Coventry, England. Signature: M.WOLSTENHOLMC. Marc Wolstenholme Plaintiff in Pro Per 5 Shetland Close Coventry, England CV5 7LS marc@mwwolf-fiction.co.uk PLAINTIFF MARC WOLSTENHOLME'S NOTICE OF CONCERN REGARDING SUDDEN DEPARTURE OF RIOT GAMES' COUNSEL AND REQUEST FOR LITIGATION HOLD